

**SENATE CONCURRENT
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DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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2 Central Catholic Junior-Senior High School football team on winning
3 the Class A State Championship.

4 *Whereas, After a grueling season during which they were*
5 *ranked second place, the Lafayette Central Catholic Knights*
6 *clinched the Class A State Football championship;*

7 *Whereas, This win marks the fourth straight year that the*
8 *Knights finished their season with a state championship*
9 *victory, ranking the team second overall in Indiana football*
10 *history. This feat is exceptionally meaningful for the seniors*
11 *who have now won the state championship all four years of*
12 *their high school football careers;*

13 *Whereas, In winning the championship, the Lafayette*
14 *Central Catholic Knights relied on its defense and special*
15 *teams. The Knights held the Crusaders to only 165 offensive*
16 *yards and zero points while tallying the only points of the*
17 *game, an offensive touchdown and a punt return, sealing the*
18 *14-0 victory;*

19 *Whereas, This game situation was nothing new to the*
20 *Knights as the team faced the Crusaders in the state*
21 *championship game last year as well. The Knights were then*
22 *as they are now-victorious;*



1 *Whereas, Jimmy Mills, while contributing to his team, set*
 2 *himself apart for his work as an individual. He was named*
 3 *the winner of the Phil N. Eskew Mental Attitude Award, an*
 4 *award given to a senior who best demonstrates excellence in*
 5 *mental attitude, scholarship, leadership, and athletic ability;*

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 7 *Whereas, Another outstanding individual is Coach Kevin*
 8 *O'Shea, whose guidance has led the Knights to four*
 9 *consecutive state titles, the first coach in Indiana to do so.*
 10 *Over his five season career, Coach O'Shea has a phenomenal*
 11 *68-3 record;*

12 *Whereas, The Lafayette Central Catholic football team*
 13 *has shown that through hard work, commitment, and*
 14 *dedication, they have remained dominant in Class A football;*
 15 *and*

16 *Whereas, The Lafayette Central Catholic Knights have*
 17 *asserted themselves as a force to be reckoned with. We*
 18 *congratulate the team on their state championship and wish*
 19 *them luck in the future: Therefore,*

20 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
 21 *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

22 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates
 23 the Lafayette Central Catholic High School on clinching the Class A
 24 State Football Championship.

25 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
 26 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Coach Kevin O'Shea and
 27 Athletic Director Tim Bordenet.

